

2013 SEA GRANT KNAUSS FINALISTS						PLACEMENT INFORMATION
Degree	Last Name	First Name	SG Program	University	Discipline	Host Office
EXECUTIVE FINALISTS						
MAS	Anderson	Kristin	CA	Scripps Institution of Oceanography	Marine Biodiversity and Conservation	Office of Communications and External Affairs and Office of Legislative Affairs (US DOC, NOAA)
PhD	Bosch	Jennifer	MD	University of Maryland	Marine Ecology and Environmental Science	Office of Laboratories and Cooperative Institutes (US DOC, NOAA, OAR)
MS	Brewer	Jared	CA	Stanford University	Earth Systems	Office of International Affairs (US DOC, NOAA, OAR)
JD	Coleman	Mele	HI	William S. Richardson School of Law, University of Hawaii at Manoa	Law	Office of Program Planning and Integration (US DOC, NOAA, PPI)
MS	Davenport	Theresa	VA	Virginia Institute of Marine Science	Biological Sciences	Office of Policy, Planning, and Evaluation (US DOC, NOAA, OAR, PPE)
MS	Dolan	Tara	FL	Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science	Marine Affairs and Policy	Office of Science and Technology (US DOC, NOAA, NMFS)
MS	Dunham	Gabriel	RI	University of Rhode Island	Environmental and Natural Resource Economics	National Sea Grant Office (US DOC, NOAA, OAR, NSGO)
MS	Farrow	Katherine	ME	University of Maine	Resource Economics and Policy	Office of Science and Technology (US DOC, NOAA, NMFS)
MS	Fisher	Leah	SC	College of Charleston	Marine Biology	Policy, Planning & Analysis Division (US DOC, NOAA, NOS, PPAD)
PhD	Fly	Elizabeth	SC	University of South Carolina	Biological Sciences	Climate Program Office (US DOC, NOAA, OAR, CPO)
PhD	Fontana	Rachel	CA	University of California, Davis	Ecology	Congressional Analysis and Relations Division and the Budget Formulation and Analysis Division (US DOC, NOAA, OAR)
PhD	Fujitani	Marie	HI	Arizona State University	Environmental Life Sciences	Aquaculture Program Office (US DOC, NOAA, NMFS)
PhD	Galland	Grantly	CA	Scripps Institution of Oceanography	Marine Biology	Office of International Affairs (US DOC, NOAA)
MS	Gershman	Dave	MI	University of Michigan	Environmental Policy and Planning	Office of Marine Conservation (STATE, OES)
PhD	Givens	Carrie	GA	University of Georgia	Marine Science	Division of Fisheries and Aquatic Resource Conservation (US DOI, USFWS)
MS	Haukebo	Sepp	TX	Texas A&M	Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences	Office of Education (US DOC, NOAA, OED)
MS	Hodde	Henry	TX	University of Houston-Clear Lake	Environmental Management	National Sea Grant Office (US DOC, NOAA, OAR, NSGO)
PhD	Hutt	Clifford	MSAL	Mississippi State University	Forest Resources	Highly Migratory Species Division (US DOC, NOAA, NMFS, HMS)
MS	Irwin	Leslie	PA	University of Pennsylvania	Environmental Studies	Communications Office (US DOC, NOAA, OAR)
MESM	King	Brittany	USC	University of California Santa Barbara	Coastal Marine Resource Management	Office of National Marine Sanctuaries (US DOC, NOAA, NOS, ONMS)
PhD	Kress	Marin	WHOI	University of Massachusetts-Boston	Oceans and Human Health	US Army Corps of Engineers (DOD, Army, USACE)
MS	Mehaffie	Nicole	MD	University of Maryland	Fisheries Science	Office of Policy Analysis - Coordinated Ocean, Coastal and Great Lakes Activities (US DOI)
PhD	Muawanah	Umi	CT	University of Connecticut	Agricultural and Resource Economics	Division of Fisheries and Aquatic Resource Conservation (US DOI, USFWS)
MA/MESM	Nixon	Katherine	USC	University of California Santa Barbara	Economics and Environmental Science and Mangagement	Oceanographer of the Navy (US DOD, NAVY)
PhD	Obeid	Najwa	ILIN	University of Illinois Champaign-Urbana	Environmental Engineering and Sciences	Division of Ocean Sciences (NSF)
JD,MMA	Obolensky	Nicholas	RI	Roger Williams University School of Law, University of Rhode Island	Law, Marine Affairs	Office of the Assistant Administrator (US DOC, NOAA, OAR)
PhD	Ombres	Erica	FL	University of South Florida College of Marine Science	Marine Science	Ocean Acidification Program Office (US DOC, NOAA, OAR)
MS	Pather	Santhiska	MIT	University of Massachusetts Dartmouth	Marine Biogeochemistry	Ecological and Health Processes Branch - Nutrients Team (US EPA, S&T)
MS	Phillips	Jennifer	WI	University of Wisconsin-Madison	Environment and Resources	Office of the Under Secretary (US DOC, NOAA)
PhD	Piniak	Wendy	NC	Duke University	Marine Science & Conservation	Office of Protected Resources (US DOC, NOAA, NMFS)
MMP	Samoteskul	Kateryna	DE	University of Delaware	Marine Policy	Climate Program Office (US DOC, NOAA, OAR, CPO)
JD	Schulman	Zachary	NY	Pace University School of Law	International Law and Environmental Law	Marine Transportation Systems Management Directorate (US DHS, USCG, CG-55)
PhD	Smentek-Duerr	Alana	FL	Florida Atlantic University	Ocean Engineering	Wind and Water Power Program, US Department of Energy (US DOE)
MA	Smith	Courtney	MSAL	University of Southern Mississippi	Experimental Psychology	Wind and Water Power Program, US Department of Energy (US DOE)
MS	Soltanoff	Carrie	MD	University of Maryland	Sustainable Development and Conservation Biology	Office of International Affairs (US DOC, NOAA, NMFS)
MS	Thompson	Jennifer	OR	Oregon State University	Marine Resource Management	Office of Policy (US DOC, NOAA, NMFS)
PhD	Tyburczy	Will	ILIN	University of Chicago	Ecology and Evolution	Office of Program Planning and Integration (US DOC, NOAA, PPI)
MS	Wilkinson	Erin	ME	University of New England	Marine Science	Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Domestic Fisheries Division (US DOC, NOAA, NMFS, SF)
LEGISLATIVE FELLOWS						
MS	Chesnin	Noah	NC	Nicholas School of the Environment - Duke University	Environmental Management	U.S. Representative Sam Farr - California
PhD	Goldstein	Miriam	CA	Scripps Institution of Oceanography	Biological Oceanography	U.S. House Committee on Natural Resources - Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, Oceans and Insular Affairs
MESM	Jacobsen	Kelsey	USC	University of California Santa Barbara	Environmental Science and Management	U.S. Representative Lois Capps - California
PhD	Orgera	Ryan	LA	Louisiana State University	Environmental Geography	U.S. Senator Bill Nelson - Florida
PhD	Owens	Stephanie	WHOI	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Chemical Oceanography	U.S. Representative Jared Huffman - California
JD,MMA	Parker	Sarah	RI	Roger Williams University School of Law, University of Rhode Island	Law, Marine Affairs	U.S. House Committee on Natural Resources
MS	Saluta	Gabrielle	VA	College of William and Mary	Fisheries Science	U.S. Representative Madeleine Bordallo - Guam
PhD	Silverstein	Rachel	FL	Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science	Marine Biology and Fisheries	U.S. Senate Commerce Committee, Majority Staff
PhD	Smail	Emily	USC	University of Southern California	Marine Environmental Biology	U.S. Senator Roger Wicker - Mississippi
MA	Sousa	Daniel	NY	Columbia University	Climate and Society	U.S. Representative Mike Thompson - California